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## THE HO MIU LING HOSPITAL.

OPENED BY H.E. THE GOVERNOR.

The ceremony of opening the Ho Miu Ling Hospital, performed by His Excellency the Governor yesterday afternoon, was witnessed by a large number of ladies and gentlemen. The building was decorated with flags in honour of the event.

The Ho Miu Ling Hospital is built on Island Lot No. 1,765, off Bonham Road, and is situated immediately to the east of Breezy Point, is an ideal one for purposes of a hospital, and was given to the trustees by the Government. The lot has wide roads on north and south sides, and Crown land adjoins on east and west, so that it is thoroughly isolated and open on all sides. The buildings were erected at the expense of Mrs. Wu Ting-fang, sister of Hon. Dr. Ho Kai, C.M.G., and have been designed that direct natural ventilation is obtained into and through all the wards, and the requirements of light and air set forth in most recent ordinances have been secured. The site has been formed by building large stone retaining walls on the north and east sides and then necessary filling in was made to bring up to present levels. The entrance from the road is by an iron gate at the highest portion of the site, and a few feet below the level of the ground story. The main buildings have wide verandahs along the whole of the front on each story, upon which convalescent patients may back in good weather, and from which verandahs views of the whole lake and Kowloon may be obtained. The ground floor is taken up by two large general wards opening out of the central fancy tiled hall. These wards are well lighted and ventilated, and accommodation is provided in the two wards for 24 beds. Centre heating arrangements, conforming to the latest approved plans, have been made in each ward. There are not any ceilings, and consequently rats and vermin cannot make their homes between floors and ceilings, to the detriment of the well-being of the occupants of the hospital. Both wards and lavatories are situated at the end of the wards, but separated from them by thick walls. An easy stair leads to the first floor, which is divided into six private wards, wardmaster's room, doctors' room, operating room and three rooms for dressers and clerks. The roof is open without a ceiling, but the underside of the eaves is lined to prevent fall of dust from the tiles; extra height is thus obtained and consequently coolness for the wards. The operating room has a skylight in addition to large windows to the verandah, and has a tiled floor, adequate water supply, and up to date fittings. The operating table has been selected by Dr. Gibson, M.D., and was presented to the hospital by the architect. The first floor wards have similar bath and lavatory arrangements as the ground floor, and special external sanitary steps communicate to these conveniences from the ground level. All the floors of the wards, also of lavatories and are beamed. To lavatories and bath rooms ferro concrete rendered floors have been used. From the main stairs landing a bridge leads across a wide open space to the students' room, and from the students' room access is obtained to the flat roof over part of the servants' quarters, forming a terrace for use of the students. At the rear of the ground floor, and separated from same by a wide open space are the laundry, servants' room, nursery, kitchen (with large furnace and boiler and iron lined ceiling), and a room which may be used for disinfecting, etc. Standing alone on the east of the servants' quarters is an isolated ward, with ventilated roof, large windows, and cement concrete floor. Under the eastern main ward is a storey which contains a well fitted up dispensary, dispenser's room, store room, attendants' room, and a large room which will be suitable for a recreation and reading room for convalescents. Bath-room and lavatory accommodation is also provided to this storey. The whole of the site has been paved with concrete, rendered with cement, and the channels, downpipes, and drains are all of approved types. Plans and specifications were prepared and buildings carried out under the supervision of Mr. John Lennan, F.I.A.M.R. Soc., architect, No. 65, Queen's Road Central.

His Excellency, who was accompanied by his A.D.C., Captain Smith, was received by the Hon. Dr. Ho Kai, Dr. Pearce, and Dr. Mitchell, the superintendent, and escorted to the main entrance, where the formal proceedings took place. Dr. Pearce presided. Among those present were the Bishop of Victoria, Archbishop Baumbach, Revs. J. H. Francis, C. Bone, Barnett, C. H. Hickling, Stephens, Hon. Mr. W. Chatham, Hon. Dr. Clark, Hon. Mr. A. W. Brown, Captain Anderson, Lieut. Sumner, Dr. Jordan, Forsyth, Mr. A. H. Crooks, Lady Villiers Hutton, Lady Pigott, Directors of the Tung Wah Hospital, and others.

Dr. Pearce, in opening the proceedings, said—Your Excellency, Ladies and Gentlemen.—We are met this afternoon to open the Ho Miu Ling Hospital, an institution to be devoted from this day to the healing work in Hongkong of the London Missionary Society. Speaking for that Society's Medical Mission, which is worked in and from its affiliated hospitals, it is my duty and privilege to express on behalf of the management a due sense of the distinguished honour conferred on this assembly by your Excellency's presence. The many friends, Chinese and non-Chinese, of this public charity keenly appreciate the personal interest and generous aid which your Excellency has seen fit to accord to its endeavours to alleviate suffering and to lessen the sum of human misery around us, and the practical sympathy shown in a generous consent to open this new building will greatly cheer and encourage the medical superintendent, the committee, and the medical and nursing staff. The present is an

occasion happily by no means the first in the history of these hospitals when the magnificent generosity of a supporter has made possible the opening of a new building as an addition to the permanent plant. In calling attention as I now do to the name of this building, the Ho Miu Ling Hospital, I would link the designation with the name of Madame Wu Ting-fang, wife of His Excellency the Chinese Minister to the United States of America, and sister of our distinguished fellow-citizen, the Honourable Dr. Ho Kai. This hospital is the gift of Madame Wu to the Medical Mission working in the place where the earlier years of her life were spent. Madame Wu is anxious to benefit the poor of Hongkong who stand in need of medical treatment which it is the purpose of this institution to provide. A further object of the hospital is to extend the knowledge of Western medicine—the generous donor thus becoming a helper of many in Hongkong and in China who may never see the inside or even the outside of this building. Of the practical value of the Ho Miu Ling Hospital, considered as an asset of the Mission, you will soon be able to form an opinion and I shall be surprised if that opinion does not accord with my own. That the new structure is admirably adapted to the purposes which it is intended to serve, and reflects credit on the architect and the contractor. Apart, however, from its present and immediate use as a place for healing and for teaching, the Miu Ling Hospital stands for a suggestive and instructive sign. An aspect of the benefaction which we do well to consider is that a Chinese lady of rank is here showing the way in a new order of things. In identifying herself with the forces that make for this new order Madame Wu is pointing us forward and giving us vision of the day when woman's healing work for woman will be a great factor in the social life of a great people. The time is coming when the women of China will have their full share in all kindly industries of healing that tend to sweeten and to brighten human life and to make it worth living. The old time word "benevolence", a keyword in Chinese ethics, is destined to undergo processes of appreciation, to take on new meanings, and to represent a living great reality when benevolence such as is here shown us becomes rooted and grounded in the minds of the women of China who have caught the spirit of Madame Wu. The true gauge and measure of value is found when the gift of this hospital is taken as a sign of the new times that are dawning for China and for the world. There are other acknowledgments that should be made gladly and gratefully. This hospital building stands on one of the best sites that could be chosen entirely suitable as respects proximity to the busy city lying immediately below, yet sufficiently removed to more quiet and other favourable conditions for the treatment of patients. This site is also a gift—the gift of the Government through His Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies, at the recommendation of Sir Henry Blake. It is satisfactory to remark that, as with so many buildings on these higher levels, the new hospital enhances as a thing of beauty the attractiveness of the road itself and lends a charm of distinction to this thoroughfare. The beauty of a hospital, however, consists in that it stands for philanthropy, unselfish regard for others, the going out of ourselves in order to bring the joy of health to many in pain and wretchedness. I trust that the work done here will justify the large-hearted generosity of Madame Wu and liberality of the Government. Before closing I would refer to the ever-ready goodwill of the Tung Wah Hospital and officers shown to us on the occasion of this opening. The Tung Wah directors have helped to provide the fittings and furniture of this building; they have given us lamps for lighting the building; we are borrowing their light, so also are the ornamental tablets of felicitations and appropriate congratulatory sentences that adorn the entrance hall. On these tablets, in grateful allusion to the donor of the building, coupled with glowing reference to the elixir of immortality, we are reminded of the marvellous cures wrought by ancient worthies and bidden to expect the like marvels as the outcome of Madame Wu's philanthropy in the gift of this hospital. Time would fail us to mention other friends Chinese and non-Chinese, who have shown their regard for our work by what they have done at this hospital opening. We shall take care that thanks are given where they are so largely due. My last word is concerning the London Missionary Society. There is no one present who needs to be informed that bodily healing under the auspices of this Society and as part of its work is fixed and certain, relation to that Divine healing which the Society exists in order to make known. Its aim in these hospitals as in all its activities for doing good to men, is to glorify Almighty God, who will, we believe, use this effort as a means to the higher help and salvation and health of human souls through the Divine Master and Teacher, who took our nature upon Him and who went about doing good and healing all that were diseased. I will ask the Bishop of Victoria to lead us in prayer to Almighty God for the work of the hospital.

The Bishop of Victoria then offered prayer. His Excellency the Governor said—My Lord Bishop, Ladies and Gentlemen.—Those among you who know the Alice Memorial Hospital well know the necessity that has grown up to improve the accommodation for the sick looked after by the London Missionary Society. Through no fault of the managers of the Alice Memorial Hospital that institution has ceased to be fit for medical and serious surgical cases. Buildings have grown up around it and the lower floors particularly have no longer the light and air necessary for a hospital. I have dwelt

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## BOMBAY COTTON FIRES.

Another fire which occurred at Colaba at June 26th causing damage to the extent of two lakhs of rupees, gives rise to further stories that these outbreaks are due to incendiaries. This is the thirty-first fire that has occurred at Colaba since the 13th instant. The theory of incendiaries is not believed by those who have given the matter careful consideration. The cotton bolls go to big and wealthy up-country merchants who are not likely to place themselves in the hands of the subordinates, who would be necessary to commit the acts of incendiarism. Moreover this cotton is stored because the merchants will not sell at current prices; they are holding it for a rise. Whereas if it is burnt they are paid the damage at the current prices. If they wished their holdings to be reduced it would be easier and safer to sell instead of burning. The only theory upon which incendiarism can be made profitable is that by reducing the stocks, prices will go up, but the quantity burnt is too small to have any material effect upon the market.—The Englishman.

## £270,000 DEATH DUTY.

SIR CHARLES TENNANT LEAVES £270,000. It is announced that the estate of the late Sir Charles Tennant will amount to £270,000, and that the Exchequer will therefore benefit to the amount of £270,000 in death duty. Sir Charles leaves very few public or charitable bequests, the bulk of the estate being bequeathed to his family. It is an interesting circumstance that while Mr. Asquith, as Chancellor of the Exchequer, will pay £270,000 for the Treasury, Mrs. Asquith, who is one of Sir Charles Tennant's daughters, will have to pay her share of the death duty.

## SUPREME COURT.

Friday July 20th.

IN CRIMINAL JURISDICTION.

BEFORE THE CHIEF JUSTICE (SIR FRANCIS JAGGOTT).

The Criminal Sessions were resumed.

GRIEVOUS BODILY HARM.

Leung Lung, charged with wounding with intent to do grievous bodily harm, pleaded not guilty.

The Attorney-General proceeded.

The following jury were empanelled: Messrs. W. D. Kraft (Foreman), C. E. Warren, H. Elmer, C. A. Meyer, C. T. Haeslop, P. H. J. Baker and H. W. Page.

This was the case in which a fortune-teller was alleged to have attempted to murder his wife or concubine. As the Attorney-General stated in opening, the woman's story was that she was living in the same house as prisoner. On the night in question she was awakened from her sleep by finding the prisoner cutting her throat. She managed after a struggle to escape and run to a neighbouring place for assistance. When the police entered the house the man had gone. The defendant's story was that he was attacked by the woman and her lover, and only defended himself.

The woman said her husband was at sea. The defendant on the night in question sat on her chest and attempted to cut her throat. He asked where her money was, and she pointed to where it lay.

A man to whom the woman went for assistance denied that he had any relations with her and denied that the defendant's attack was due to his being jealous of witness.

The jury found prisoner guilty and his Lordship passed sentence of two years' imprisonment without hard labour.

A DISORDERLY BARMAID.

A barmaid employed at the New Traveller's Hotel was charged with being drunk and disorderly in a public street.

Defendant admitted that this was her second offence. She said she earned her living by drink, and was paid according to the number of drinks she sold. She had to send \$40 a month to her home.

His Worship said it was simply disgraceful that a white woman should make a show of herself in the streets of Hongkong.

Defendant promised that this would be her last offence, as she would leave the Colony.

His Worship said you said you were going to leave last time you were here.

A fine of \$10 was imposed, and the defendant was bound over to the good behaviour for three months.

A YOUNG SNAKECHAPER.

Lok Chui, tailor's apprentice, aged 15 years, was charged with snatching 50 cents from the hand of a servant girl at West Point.

He was sentenced to three days' imprisonment and ten strokes of the birch.

YOUNG GIRL'S PROTECTORS.

The mistress of a brothel at Johnston was imposed for one year with hard labour for keeping a girl under the age of sixteen years in her house for immoral purposes.

BEFORE MR. F. A. HAZELARD (SECOND POLICE MAGISTRATE).

THE "DUMPING" NUISANCE.

Twelve coaches employed by the Sanitary Board's scavenging contractor were summoned for dumping rubbish into the harbour near Ching-moo.

Mr. Daniel of Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Master represented the defendants.

After hearing the evidence his Worship ordered each of the defendants to pay a fine of \$50.

ALLEGED INFRINGEMENT OF A TRADE MARK.

Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co. presented against the manager and a clerk of the Fung Fat Tsing firm for exposing for sale certain bags of sugar bearing false trade marks.

Mr. H. W. Looker of Messrs. Deane, Looker and Deane presented, and Mr. R. A. Harding appeared for the defendants.

Mr. Looker said the China Sugar Refining Co. had for many years registered a trade mark consisting of the initials of the company, C.S.R., in a diamond and underneath "A 4" and a cross. Information reached the managers of the company sometime ago that their trademark was being infringed by the shop to which the two defendants belonged. A man was sent by the Sugar Company to the defendants' shop to buy some sugar. On arrival there he was taken to the back of the shop, where he saw a large quantity of sugar drawn up in mat bags. Most of the initials C.S.R. on these bags they contained the letters G.S.D. and underneath "J 4" and a cross. The man purchased one of these bags and took it to the C.S.R. Company. Subsequently a search warrant was obtained, but when a detective visited the shop he found that all the bags containing this mark had gone. He, however, found one mat bag with some sugar left in it, and two empty bags, with the forged mark on. After he had noticed the forged mat bag containing sugar, it was put away behind some boxes. Subsequently Mr. Looker, accompanied by Mr. Annett of the Sugar Co. and an interpreter, went to the defendants' shop and asked both men questions with a view to obtaining information as to where the sugar came from. The information received was that the sugar came from Messrs. Caple and Co., but that firm would say that none of their sugar was contained in bags of the mark in question.

Mr. Harding said his clients had bought from Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co. during the last six months over \$50,000 worth of sugar. This would arise in the course of the case with regard to the question of intent to defraud.

His Worship—I thought you were going to refer me to a section under which, if you brought \$50,000 worth of sugar, you could not be prosecuted.

Evidence was heard on behalf of the prosecution, and the case adjourned.

## KODAKS AT HOME PRICES.

No. 3 FOLDING POCKET KODAK (23-12-64) \$38.00

No. 4 CARTRIDGE (25-15-64) \$30.00

## LONG, HING &amp; CO.

No. 17, QUEEN'S ROAD.

## SAINT LEON TONIC WINE.

DOCTOR DUSSAUD:—The Composition of the Generous Wine of SAINT LEON imposes confidence and draws attention of Doctors upon its use. I have ordered it to several of my patients who were overcoming illness and have noticed the recovery of their strength and the rapid renewal of blood health through its use.

The new product must take its place in new therapeutics and render service to our Doctors.

\$22.00 - PER DOZEN.

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12, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

## HONGKONG GYMKHANA CLUB.

The following is the programme for the fourth gymkhana this afternoon:—

1.—1 p.m. One Mile and a Quarter Flat Race. Handicap.—For all China Ponies. Non-winning Jockeys allowed 5lb. Entrance fee \$5. 1st Prize: A Cup presented by 2nd Prize: \$25. (Entrance fees to go to winner).

Mr. G. K. Hall-Brutton's Preston, 1st 3lb. Do. Kingston, 1st 3lb.

Mr. W. G. Clarke's Pathon, 1st 2lb. Do. Lashmore, 1st 2lb.

Father O'Flynn's The Jobber, 1st 4lb. Do. Merrymit, 1st 4lb.

Hon. Mr. W. J. Gresson's Ionic, 1st 1lb. Do. Mammoth, 1st 7lb.

Mr. H. P. Hickman's Rosemont, 1st 3lb. Mr. A. C. Hynes' Ingot, 1st 4lb.

Mr. D. Macdonald's Highland Giller, 1st 11lb. 2.—4.30 p.m.—Welter Race, 3 Furlongs.

For all China Ponies which have not been entered for any of the regular racing events this Gymkhana Season. Catch weights over 13 stone. Riders in the regular racing events to be barred. Entrance fee \$5.

Hon. Mr. W. J. Gresson's K.O.B. Mr. Jagan's Paisley's Pride.

Mr. Reindeer's Saxonia. 3.—5 p.m.—Gymkhana Club Challenge.

Cur.—Distance one mile.—Value to be declared when cup is purchased. For all China Ponies. Catch weights at 1st 6lb. Winners of an open race or open Griffin race 2lb. extra. Non-winning Subscribers (Griffins allowed 5lb. Non-winning Jockeys allowed 5lb.). To be won by the pony scoring most marks in the races for the cup, counting 1 point for a first; 2 for a second; and 1 for a third. The benefit of marks already scored to pass with pony on a sale. Any winner of the race to carry 5lb. extra for each win in subsequent races for the Cup, but in the event of a pony carrying the penalty not winning 2lb. to be deducted each time he starts. Penalties accumulative up to 15lb. Entrance fee of \$5 to go in the purchase of a moment to the winner of each race, and \$25 to second pony out of the Club funds. At the conclusion of the Season a Cup, value \$100, will be presented to the Owner of the pony obtaining the second highest number of marks.

Mr. G. K. Hall-Brutton's Kingston, 1st 1lb. Mr. W. G. Clarke's Pathon, 1st 1lb.

Father O'Flynn's Merrymit, 1st 5lb. Hon. Mr. W. J. Gresson's Ionic, 1st 6lb.

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4.—5.30 p.m.—Ladies' Nomination. A afternoon Tea Stakes.—A number of small tea tables to be arranged on the course, and ladies to be seated at their tables. Gentlemen to be fixed up some distance away dismounted. On the word "go" they are to gallop to their nominals who will give them tea. The nominals must drink a cup of tea and eat a small biscuit, then return to starting point. An umpire will be at each table to see that the conditions are carried out, and points will be deducted for unsportsmanlike acts. First at winning post with least number of points deducted to win. 1st and 2nd Prizes presented by the Club. Entrance fee \$3. Post Entries.

5.—6 p.m.—Three-Quarters of a Mile Flat Race. Handicap.—For all China Ponies. Non-winning Jockeys allowed 5lb. Entrance fee \$5. A Cup presented by 2nd Prize: \$25. (Entrance fees to go to winner).

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Mr. Ottery's Red Herring, 1st 7lb. Do. Althelbert, 1st 9lb.

6.—6.30 p.m.—Hardie Race.—For China Ponies. Distance about One Mile and a Quarter. Catch weights 10st. 8lb. Winner of Hardie Race at First, Second and Third Gymkhana to carry 5lb. extra. Entrance fee \$5.—1st Prize: \$25. (Entrance fees to go to winner).

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LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The I.G.M. Australian str. *Prinz Sigismund* left Nagasaki on Thursday, the 19th inst., at 4 p.m., and may be expected here or about Monday, the 23rd inst., at 8 a.m.The C.P.R. str. *Turk* arrived at Shanghai at 11 a.m. on Friday, the 20th inst., and left again at 10 p.m. same day for Hongkong, and is due here at 7 p.m. on Monday



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H. W. LOOKER. [1418]

Hongkong, 21st July, 1906.

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**DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.**

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND FOCHOW.

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"HATTAN,"

Captain J. S. Rook, will be despatched for the above ports on TUESDAY, the 22nd inst., at Noon, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAURENCE & Co., General Managers. [1419]

Hongkong, 21st July, 1906.

## HONGKONG GYMKHANA CLUB.

**THE FOURTH MEETING** of the Season will be held at the HAPPY VALLEY, T.O. DAY (SATURDAY), the 21st inst., commencing at 4 p.m.

The Charge of Admission will be \$1.00 for others than Members of the Hongkong Jockey Club or Gymkhana Club.

The Committee invite the Ladies of Hongkong to be present.

Post Entries will be accepted for Events Nos 2 and 4.

C. G. MACKIE, Hon. Secretary. [1433]

Hongkong, 18th July, 1906.

## HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS

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Hongkong, 16th July, 1906. [1420]

## S.S. "LAISANG" GENERAL AVERAGE.

**ARRIVED HONGKONG** FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE, 20th December, 1905. On FIRE 20th November, 1905, between Singapore and Hongkong.

ALL CLAIMS to be included in the above General Average must be forwarded to Messrs. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong; General Managers, Indo-China S.N. Co., Ltd., before 31st July, 1906, otherwise they will not be recognised.

Hongkong, 16th July 1906. [1421]

## NOTICE.

**WE HEREBY beg to Notify** our Customers that we CANNOT ACCEPT MORE THAN TWO DOLLARS in Subsidary Coins in payment of our accounts, AND OUR SHOPS HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED TO ADHERE STRICTLY TO THIS RULE.

A. S. WATSON & Co., Ltd. [1361]

Hongkong, 4th July, 1906.

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I can tell you, free of charge, how to make a Fortune; send a Postcard to M. GUYOT-GENIS, 30, Rue Rambouillet, St. Martin, Paris, France.

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EX S.S. "PRINZESS ALICE" FROM KOBE.

Arrived 7th November, 1905.

N 1/3 18 Cases PROVISIONS.

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Arrived 31st January, 1906.

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Hongkong, 20th July, 1906. [1448]

## PUBLIC COMPANIES

## THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY CO., LTD.

**AN INTERIM DIVIDEND** of \$3.50 per Share for the Six Months ending 30th June, 1906, will be Payable on the 25th instant, on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Office.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th instant to the 25th instant (both days inclusive).

By Order of the Board of Directors.

A. SHELTON HOOVER, Secretary.

Hongkong, 10th July, 1906. [1389]

## THE WEST POINT BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

**AN INTERIM DIVIDEND** of SIX DOLLARS TWO per Share for the Six Months ending 30th June, 1906, will be Payable on the 25th instant, on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Office.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 25th instant (both days inclusive).

By Order of the Board of Directors.

A. SHELTON HOOVER, Secretary to the HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY CO., LTD., General Agents for the WEST POINT BUILDING CO., LTD.

Hongkong, 13th July, 1906. [1415]

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above named Company will be held at the registered Office of the Company, ALEXANDRA BUILDINGS, Des Vaux Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 31st day of July, 1906, at 12 o'clock Noon, when the following Resolutions which were passed at an Extraordinary Meeting of the Company held on Saturday, the 14th day of July, 1906, pursuant to the Order dated the 25th day of March, 1906, made by the Supreme Court of Hongkong in its Original Jurisdiction on Motion No. 371 of 1905, will be submitted for Confirmation as Special Resolutions.

1. That the Special Resolution in being the Fourth in Number passed and confirmed at Extraordinary General Meetings of this Company held on the 3rd and 20th June, 1905, respectively together with all Agreements entered into thereunder and particularly the Agreement in writing bearing date the 15th day of October, 1905, made between this Company and its Liquidators (JOHN HUMPHREYS & SON) of the one part and the PEAK TRAMWAYS CO., LIMITED, of the other part be and the same are hereby rescinded.

2. That the Draft Agreement submitted to this Meeting and expressed to be made between this Company and its Liquidators of the one part and the "PEAK TRAMWAYS CO., LTD." of the other part be and the same is hereby approved and that the said Liquidators be and they are hereby authorised pursuant to Sections 201 and 202 of the Companies Ordinance 1865 to enter into an Agreement with the said "PEAK TRAMWAYS CO., LTD." in the terms of the said Draft and to carry the same into effect with such (if any) modification as they may think expedient.

Dated 16th July, 1906.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers.

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LTD.

**NOTICE.**

IN Accordance with the Provisions of No. 104 of the Articles of Association the GENERAL MANAGERS have This Day declared an INTERIM DIVIDEND for the Half-Year ended 30th June, 1906, of FOUR DOLLARS per Share.

Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Office of the Company on and after THURSDAY, the 2nd August.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 24th to the 31st inst., both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, 20th July, 1906. [1444]

## THE HONGKONG, CANTON &amp; MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

**THE EIGHTIETH ORDINARY** Half-Yearly Meeting of the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, HOTEL MANSIONS, on TUESDAY, the 14th August, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, confirming the appointment of a Director and electing Directors and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 1st to the 14th August, 1906, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

W. E. CLARKE, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 19th July, 1906. [1445]

## THE PUBLIC HEALTH &amp; BUILDINGS ORDINANCE COMMISSION.

**TAKE NOTICE** that a COMMISSION has been appointed to enquire into and Report on the following matters, viz.:

1. Whether the administration of the Sanitary and Building Regulations enacted by the Public Health and Buildings Ordinances, 1903, as now carried out is satisfactory, and, if not, what improvements can be made.

2. Whether any irregularity or corruption exists or has existed among the Officials charged with the administration of the aforesaid Regulations.

The Commission earnestly invite the Inhabitants of Hongkong and Kowloon to co-operate with them by forwarding any complaint they may have to make or suggestion to offer in connection with the matters aforesaid to the undersigned.

Any person examined as a witness in the enquiry aforesaid who in the opinion of the Commissioners makes a full and true disclosure touching all the matters in respect of which he is examined will receive a certificate from the Commission which will protect the witness against any civil or criminal proceedings which may be instituted against such witness in respect of any matter touching which he has been examined.

By Order.

W. BOWEN ROWLANDS, Secretary.

Hongkong, 7th July, 1906. [1331]

## AUCTION

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

**THE Undersigned will Sell by Public Auction,**

On TUESDAY, the 24th July, at 12 o'clock Noon, The Hulk "MEANEZ" late "SCREW," 3rd Rate, 334 tons.

(Lately used by War Department as a Hospital Ship).

**CONDITIONS OF SALE.**

The Hulk will be sold as she now lies in Hongkong Harbour with all Fittings, etc., and about 150 tons of IRON BALLAST on Board, with the exception of the following, which will not be sold, viz.:

**CHAIN CABLES.**

Cables will be removed by the NAVAL YARD when a date for the removal of the vessel has been arranged by purchaser with the NAVAL YARD.

The vessel will be open to Inspection for Seven Days before date of Sale, between 10 A.M. and Noon, and 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. (SATURDAY and SUNDAY excepted).

Inspection Orders may be obtained from the Auctioneers.

The Sale will take place on Board. A Steam Launch to convey intending purchasers will leave Black Pier at 11 A.M., 11.30 A.M. and 11.45 A.M. on Day of Sale.

TERMS:—Cash before delivery; 25 per cent. of the purchase money to be paid on the fall of the Hammer, balance and the clearance to be effected with 5 days after date of Sale.

HUGHES & HUGHES, Auctioneers to the Government.

Hongkong, 12th July, 1906. [13-3]

## TO LET

**TO BE LET OR SOLD.**

With Immediate Possession—in Wanchai Road

**GODOWN**, built of Brick with Tiled Roof, built thoroughly repaired, about 4,000 square feet space, concrete flooring. Suitable for storage of any kind of merchandise.

Apply to—

Care of "Daily Press" Office.

Hongkong, 30th May, 1906. [1177]

## TO LET.

**"BROCKHURST" PEAK**, Newly Painted and Colour washed, with use of Tennis Court, contains 6 Rooms, Splendid site and well suited for a Bachelor's Mess.

2nd FLOOR in Central position, containing Four Large Rooms, Ante-room and Lavatory, with use of Electric Lift.

ONE SHOP at BEACONSFIELD ARCADE.

HOUSES on the ROBINSON ROAD Level, Cheap Rentals.

73 WYNDHAM STREET.

Apply to—

LINSTEAD & DAVIS, 3rd Floor, Alexandra Buildings.

Hongkong, 1st June, 1906. [1193]

## HONGKONG CLUB.

## TO LET.

**TWO ROOMS** on the Ground Floor of the Annex, from date; suitable for Offices. Anyone disposed to offer for the same please apply to—

C. H. GRACE, Secretary.

Hongkong, 28th May, 1906. [1156]

## TO LET.

**HOUSES** in AUSTIN AVENUE and SALISBURY AVENUE, Kowloon. No. 5, GRANVILLE AVENUE, Kowloon.

Apply to—

HUMPHREYS ESTATE & FINANCE CO., LD., Agents.

Hongkong, 4th April, 1906. [390]

## TO LET.

**NO. 10, KENNEDY ROAD**, a European Residential House, with Dining Rooms, Bedrooms, detached Servants' Quarters. Gas Light throughout. Situated in a lovely and shady locality. Terms moderate. Immediate possession.

Apply to—

COMPRADORE, Tai Koo.

Hongkong, 10th July, 1906. [1390]

## TO LET.

(EITHER IN WHOLE OR IN PART).

**"THE ACACIAS" and "THE GROVE"**, having 36 Rooms, with detached Out-Houses and Kitchens, situated in Robinson Road, Kowloon. Well ventilated with Electric Lights and Bells completely installed.

Apply to—

E. M. HAZELAND, No. 31, Queen's Road Central, or to WING-ON, Contractor, No. 31, D'Agular Street.

Hongkong, 19th July, 1906. [1436]

## TO LET.

**NO. 13, GAGE STREET**, 8-Roomed House, with a Godown.

Apply to—

E. A. & C. F. DE CARVALHO, 11, Arboretum Road.

Hongkong, 18th June, 1906. [1270]

## TO LET.

**NO. 3, "FAIRVIEW," ROBINSON ROAD**, Kowloon.

"ROSENEATH" and "WOODBURY" GARDEN ROAD, Kowloon, from 31st July.

2nd FLOOR No. 12, Queen's Road Central.

Apply to—

LEIGH & ORANGE, 1, Des Vaux Road.

Hongkong, 1st June, 1906. [501]

## TO LET.

**SEYMOUR ROAD LOWER, No. 31.**

PRAYA EAST, No. 91, Top Floor (Godown).

Apply to—

SAM WANG CO. LD., 61, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, 6th February, 1906. [336]

## TO LET

## SHAMEEN-CANTON.

**NO. 2, WEST END TERRACE.**

Apply to—

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LTD., Hongkong, 6th July, 1906. [1377]

## TO LET.

**NO. 1, ORMSBY VILLAS**, Kowloon, available at once.

Apply to—

COMPRADORE'S DEPARTMENT, Yokohama Specie Bank, Ltd., Hongkong, 12th July, 1906. [1402]

## TO LET.

**IN HOTEL MANSIONS**, a suite of Three Large Offices on corner overlooking Des Vaux Road; cool quarters and all modern conveniences. Telephone and Electric Light fittings installed. Apply—

REUTER, BRUCKELMANN & Co., Prince's Buildings.

Hongkong, 20th March, 1906. [678]

## TO LET.

**"IRANEE BUNGALOW"**, Kimberley Road, Kowloon. Tennis Court attached.

Apply to—

AKRATON V. APCAR & Co., 43 Wyndham Street.

Hongkong, 14th July, 1906. [1414]

## TO LET.

**THREE LARGE GODOWNS**, in the Praya East. Formerly in the occupation of the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha.

Apply to—

H. N. MODY, Victoria Buildings.

Hongkong, 10th May, 1906. [1051]

## TO LET.

**NO. 15, KNOTSFORD TERRACE**, KOWLOON.

Apply to—

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LTD., Hongkong, 2nd December, 1905. [77]

## TO LET.

**A COMMODIOUS SIX-ROOMED** HOUSE with Garden at No. 35, Conduit Road. Immediate possession.

Apply to—

No. 9, Behlins Terrace.

Hongkong, 17th May, 1906. [1081]

## TO LET.

**"NEW KINGSLERE,"** with Stables. Entrances in both Kennedy and Macdonnell Roads.

Owners will, if required, convert the Main Building into a Boarding House, with large Drawing and Dining Room Accommodation and 37 Bedrooms. CHEAP RENTAL.

For full particulars, apply to—

LINSTEAD & DAVIS.

Hongkong, 28th June, 1906. [1324]

## TO LET.

**OFFICES** in KING'S BUILDING and YORK BUILDING, PRAYA EAST.

**A HOUSE** in CLIFTON GARDENS, Conduit Road.

**A HOUSE** in RYDON TERRACE, FLATS in MORRISON TERRACE.

"HAYTOR" — The PEAK. Immediate possession.

Apply to—

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LTD., Hongkong, 1st March, 1906. [524]

## TO BE LET.

**A LARGE FURNISHED BEDROOM** in a Cool and Airy Detached House, with Board in English Family; suitable for Married Couple or Gentleman. Spacious Verandah. Good View of Harbour.

Apply by letter to—

"H. H. H.," Care of "Daily Press" Office.

Hongkong, 17th July, 1906. [1398]

## TO LET.

**SEVEN EUROPEAN HOUSES**, late S. Blackhead & Co. and Shaw, Temes & Co.'s Offices. Ground Floors and Top Floor, with Godowns can be let separately on lease.

Apply to—

CHUNG SHUN KOO, First Floor, No. 10, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, 19th July, 1906. [81]

## TO LET.

**NO. 16, HOLLYWOOD ROAD**, and No. 2, OLD BAILEY.

Apply to—

AKRATON V. APCAR & Co., 43 Wyndham Street.

Hongkong, 27th April, 1906. [971]

## TO LET.

**FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED** ROOM, with Bathroom and Verandah attached. For further Particulars, apply to—

"M. X. Y.," Care of "Daily Press" Office.

Hongkong, 11th July, 1906. [1397]

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**TWO GODOWNS**, at East Point, close to the Water, suitable for the Storage of any Cargo.

Floor Area, 6,100 square feet each.

Apply to—

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., Hongkong, 20th January, 1906. [255]

## TO LET.

**OFFICE TO LET**

IN ALEXANDRA BUILDINGS.

Apply to—

A. S. WATSON & Co., Ltd., Alexandra Buildings.

Hongkong, 23rd April, 1906. [946]

## TO LET.

**NO. 2, MACDONNELL ROAD.**

Apply to—

COMPRADORE'S DEPARTMENT, Nippon Yusen Kaisha.

Hongkong, 3rd June, 1906. [80]

## TO LET

## TO LET.

**OFFICE**, 1st Floor, suitable for a Broker, rental \$35 a month.

**SUITE** of Three Rooms on 3rd Floor, with Bath Room, Pantry and Private Entrance, suitable for Offices or Chambers.

Apply to—

HENRY HUMPHREYS, Alexandra Buildings.

Hongkong, 20th July, 1906. [1443]

## TO LET.

**NO. 3, CONDUIT ROAD**, Electric Light fitting, installed. Possession from 1st September, 1906.

Apply to—

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Hongkong, 9th June, 1906. [1212]

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**INTIMATIONS**

**PURE FRESH WATER.**

**THE HONGKONG STEAM WATER** BOAT Co., Ltd., is prepared to supply any Quantity of PURE FRESH WATER to the Shipping, both for Deck and Boilers.

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Hongkong, 6th August, 1906. [1243]

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With CHAMBER for 10 CARTRIDGES FIRING 10 SHOTS in 2 SECONDS.

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Hongkong, 3rd October, 1905. [45]

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WM. SCHMIDT & CO., Hongkong, 24th November, 1902. [893]

## TO LET.

**A. LING & CO.**

FURNITURE STORE.

PLATED GLASS and CROCKERY WARE, &c., &c., and FOCHOW LAQUERED WARE.

68, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

Hongkong, 21st September, 1903. [902]

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**HONGKONG-MACAO LINE.**

S.S. "WING CHAI," Captain T. Austin, R.N.

This Steamer departs from Hongkong daily (Sundays included), at 7.30 A.M., and from Macao at 2.30 P.M.

Fares: (Weekdays) 1st Class (including cabin and servant), Single \$3, Return Ticket \$4. 2nd Class \$1. 3rd Class 50 cents.

Every Sunday will be an EXCURSION (the times of departure being in future the same as on other days) at the following rates: SUNDAYS ONLY.

1st Class, Single... \$1.00

With Cabin... \$2.00

1st Class, Return... \$2.00

With Cabin... \$4.00

2nd Class, Single... \$1.00

3rd Class, Single... 50 cts.

Storage 30 cents each trip.

Meals can be supplied on board, at \$1 per meal.

First Class Passengers who do not care to return on the Excursion Sunday will be allowed to do so the following day (Monday) on production of the Return Ticket. Should the Steamer not run on the Monday, owing to the boiler cleaning, due notice will be given by the Captain, and the Half ticket will be available for the following day.

The Steamer is lit throughout by Electricity. The Steamer's Wharf at Hongkong is at the Western end of Wing Lok Street.

MING ON & CO., 2nd Floor, 18, Victoria Street.

Hongkong, 22nd June, 1906. [92]

## TO LET.

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## TO LET.

**NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES**

BOSTON STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "SHAWMUT."

FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKOHAMA, KOBE, MOJI AND MANILA.

The above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

DODWELL & Co., Ltd., Agents.

Hongkong, 17th July, 1906. [7]

## TO LET.

**NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES**

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, ETC.

THE Steamship

"GLENSTRAE,"

having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo to be hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be carried on unless instructions are given to the contrary before 4 p.m. To-day.

Goods not cleared by the 22nd July will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns, and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the steamer's arrival.

No claims will be recognized if not presented within 14 days of the ship's arrival.

McGREGOR, BROS. & GOW, Hongkong, 16th July, 1906. [1426]

## TO LET.

**NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES**

FROM HAMBURG, BREMEN, ROTTERDAM, ANTWERP, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE H.A.L. Steamship

"SAMBIA,"

Captain O. Muller, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before To-day.

Any Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be landed at the Consignees' risk and expense.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the



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Extreme Length...	722 feet.
Length on Blocks...	714 "
Width of Entrance on Top...	963 "
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Water on Blocks at Spring Tide...	313 "

DOCK No. 1.

Extreme Length...	523 feet.
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Width of Entrance on Top...	88 "
Width of Entrance on Bottom...	77 "
Water on Blocks at Spring Tide...	363 "

DOCK No. 2.

Extreme Length...	371 feet.
Length on Blocks...	361 "
Width of Entrance on Top...	66 "
Width of Entrance on Bottom...	53 "
Water on Blocks at Spring Tide...	22 "

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Suitable for vessels up to 1,000 TONS.  
THE WORKS are well equipped with LATEST PLANTS and APPLIANCES to undertake BUILDING and REPAIRING SHIPS, ENGINES, and BOILERS, and also ELECTRICAL WORK.  
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Dr. Josiah Oldfield writes:—  
When I worked out for the *Daily Express* on theoretical lines the possibility of living in complete health and vigour on food which should not cost more than 4d. a day, I was hardly prepared for the brilliant success which has crowned the putting of the theory into practice. With the determination to give my theories a good chance, the *Daily Express* secured conditions which, while they strictly and absolutely safeguarded the exactitude of the experiment, provided for it being carried out with a minimum of hardship to those concerned. Now that the three months have expired, and all the men are well fed, are well satisfied, and actually heavier in weight and fitter in condition than when they were on the ordinary diet of their previous life, it is time to ask what this experiment has to teach.

Some people have the idea that I want every body to live on 4d. a day, and they promptly get alarmed lest wages will be reduced and a lowered starvation limit should be fixed. Nothing could be further from my object. It is not cheap living that I would aim for, but an absence of waste in food and a sound and healthy diet.

If I have demonstrated that all ordinary average men of whatever age, within limits, can be taken from the ordinary diet of the unrefined poor and put immediately and at once upon Spartan fare of the best quality to their benefit, have set a definite scientific standard from which all guardians of the poor and governors of paupers and the unemployed and unemployable may learn an important lesson.

When great social forces like the Salvation Army and the Church Army appeal for funds, and when they state that these funds are to be used to provide the starving poor with the necessities of life, it will be the duty of those who are in a position to inquire whether their money is being wisely used to provide the best food and to encourage the development of the habit of thrift, or whether the lazy gospel of the handy scrap of meat and the tasty pickled herring still holds sway.

When powerful bodies of men and women, like the guardians of the poor, are dealing with large sums of public money, it will be necessary in future to scrutinize closely the sums they pay for the feeding of their proteges, lest perchance they be found wasting the hard-earned pennies of the prudent in providing luxurious and nutritious foods for the delectation of social wastrels and broken spendthrifts.

The ordinary method of so-called economy by public bodies is to accept second quality goods upon the ground that they are "good enough." This is false economy when food is the question involved. I was much struck the other day in discussing the future of horse-drawn omnibuses with an omnibus driver.

He pointed out to me that his horses were not in half such good condition as they used to be.

Owing to the keen competition, the manager of the company was buying lower-priced fodder, whereas his company formerly purchased the best of everything. "And look at these cattle," said the driver, with scorn, as he touched up the off-side with his whip, "they've got no pull in 'em now, while there used to be no holding 'em in."

My experiment is meant largely to demonstrate that it is better to spend 4d. per day on sound, wholesome cereal food of the best quality rather than to waste 1s. a day on second-quality meat food, which is often no better than shoddy. It is far better to feed men on the best quality of wheat and dates and sugar than to give them the chemicalised meat mysteries about which we have raised our voices in vain until the late revelations have proved that all our accusations were far below the unseemly realities of the truth.

The men who were experimented on were types of 99 per cent. of our population. They were of various ages, from the prime of youthful vigour to the declining strength of advancing years. They were men of various occupations, from the indoor sedentary to the outdoor laborious, so that it would be difficult to select a more comprehensive set of men for the purpose of proving that my claim as to dietary applies to all sorts and conditions of people, and not merely to selected ages or selected occupations.

It is specially interesting to note that all the men have not only retained their weight, but have increased their sense of mental and physical fitness. Lieutenant Smith commenced at 9st. 5lbs. 8ozs., and dropped to 9st. 5lbs., and then regained the lost 1lb. and rose to 9st. 7lbs. at the highest point. Arrowsmith commenced at 9st. 10lbs. 13ozs., and dropped to 9st. 10lbs. Smith commenced at 10st. 5lbs. 10ozs., and dropped to just under 10st., but regained the loss and rose to 10st. 10lbs. Harding commenced at 12st. 10lbs. 14ozs., and dropped to 12st. 8lbs. 2ozs., but regained, and at his highest touched 13st. and ends at 12st. 11lbs.

The experiment has taught these great lessons:—

- (1) Flesh food is not necessary for the healthy health and stamina of average working men in this climate.
- (2) Neither beer nor tobacco is necessary to the complete happiness and comfort and well-being of men, if only they are properly fed.
- (3) The people of England could be far better nourished for the money they spend on food if only they were taught to use the best quality of cereals and legumes and vegetable fats in place of cheap meat and margarine.
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## **JOINT STOCK SHARES.**

Messrs. Vernon & Bayth say in their weekly share report, dated Hongkong, July 20th, 1906:—  
With the exception of a remarkable slump in Shanghai Docks, the market has ruled featureless. Local rates have been, with few exceptions, well maintained, and in some important cases show improvements. Business, although not by any means brisk, has not been moribund, and the market retains some of the signs of a renewed vitality which were apparent last week.

**BANKS.**—Hongkong and Shanghai continue to rule strong, and the demand for the stock still meets with no response. Buyers are now willing to pay 88½, but no shares are forthcoming, and we have no sales to report. Nationals remain unchanged with business at 84½.

**MARINE INSURANCES.**—Unions are still required for at 84½, but we have heard of no sales. China Traders have improved to 8100 without bringing any of the few remaining shares on the market; the China Traders Union certificates have been placed during the week at 8100 and 8191, and close in demand at the rate. Cautions have been negotiated at the reduced rate of 8100 and more shares are available at that. Yangtze have again been done at 8172, and close steadily. We have nothing further to report under this heading.

**FIRE INSURANCES.**—Hongkong have found buyers during the week at 83½ and 815, the market closing with buyers at the latter rate. China continue in a small demand at 888, and small sales have been effected at that rate, while at time of closing small buyers are offering 882½ for shares.

**SHIPPING.**—Hongkong, Canton and Macao have been placed at 82½, and are still wanted. With the approaching dividend, however, holders are unwilling to part except at an advance. Indos have ruled quiet with small sales at 870, closing quiet at that rate. Douglas are wanted at 813½, but none seem to be available. We have nothing else to report under this heading.

**REFINERIES.**—China Sugars have fallen to 815 without business. Luzons are enquired for at 820 in a small way.

**MINING.**—We have nothing to report under this heading.

**DOCKS, WHARVES AND GODOWNS.**—Hongkong and Whampoa Docks have been placed during the week at the reduced rate of 8148, but a further demand at that rate fails to bring out more shares, and it is doubtful whether a point or two higher would induce holders to part, in view of the reported recent result of the half-year's working. Shanghai Docks on the 15th instant, at which rate, however, buyers came in, and a good many shares changed hands locally; at time of closing buyers at 8188½ fail to find sellers, and the market closes steady to strong. Hongkong Wharves have been placed in Shanghai at 8120, Kowloon Wharves continue in demand at 8100, but holders are not inclined to part.

**LANDS, HOTELS AND BUILDINGS.**—Hongkong Lands have improved to 8114 with sales. West Point has changed hands at 852, and close with a few shares offering at that rate. Hotels after a small sale at 812½, were placed at 8123, but the sale seems to have been an exceptional one, and the market closes with no sellers under 8125. Ramphreys have been enquired for at 811, but no shares are forthcoming.

**COTTON MILLS.**—We give the Shanghai quotations for the Northern Mills at foot. Hongkong Cottons remain unchanged and without business at 814 sellers.

**MISCELLANEOUS.**—China Providents have been placed at 89, and more are wanted at that rate. China Boreos are still enquired for at 87½ without bringing any shares on the market. Green Island have found further buyers at 828½, and more shares are still wanted. Philippines have been negotiated at 85, Watsons at 813, and China Lights at 810; we have nothing further to report under this heading.

## **THE END OF THE WORLD.**

One of the most sensational of recent magazine articles is "The End of the World," by Professor Newcombe, of John Hopkins University. His theory is that the world will end by a dark body falling into the sun, bursting its outer envelop, and sending from the enormous fires put up within, which will burst forth in fury. Dark bodies, many times larger than the earth, are flying through space like the stars themselves. Should one of them fall into the sun, its light and heat will be suddenly increased thousands of times, and the flood of heat will destroy all the work of man that exists upon the earth.

The conclusion is:—"Such is the course of evolution. The Sun which for millions of years gave light and heat to our system and supported life on the earth, was about to sink into exhaustion and become a cold and inert mass. Its energy could not be revived, except by such a catastrophe as has occurred. The Sun is rescued to what it was before there was any earth upon which it could seed its rays, and will in time be ready to run its course anew. In order that a race may be renewed, it must die like an individual. Untold ages must once more elapse while life is re-appearing on earth as it developed in higher forms. But to the power which directs and controls the whole process the ages of humanity are but as days, and it will wait in sublime patience the evolution of a new earth and a new order of animated nature perhaps far superior to that we have witnessed as ours was to that which preceded it."

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**ARRIVALS.**  
**ACADEMUS**, British str., 1,485, R. C. Thompson, 20th July, Liverpool and Singapore 14th July, General—Butterfield & Swire.  
**AMIRAL DUPRE**, French str., 5,421, P. Dorian, 20th July, Singapore 14th July, General Cargo—Messageries Maritimes.  
**CHIPSING**, British steamer, 20th July, from Canton.  
**CHONGKING**, British steamer, 20th July, from Canton.  
**CORRE**, British str., 2,711, W. Finch, 20th July, San Francisco 27th June, Mails and General—D. & O. S. N. Co.  
**CRUSADER**, British str., 2,711, R. W. McBurn, 20th July, Canton 2nd July, Coal—Melchers & Co.  
**FRIGATE**, Norwegian str., 501, H. A. Harald, 20th July, Peking via Amoy and Swatow 17th July, General—Osaka Shosen Kaisha.  
**HAGAN**, British str., 1,485, J. S. Routh, 20th July, Peking via Amoy and Swatow 17th July, General—Douglas Laing & Co.  
**HAGURO MARU**, Japanese str., 2,488, K. Kondo, 20th July, Mito 14th July, Coal—Osaka Shosen Kaisha.  
**KW. SUI**, Chinese steamer, 20th July, from Canton.  
**NORWAY**, Danish str., 2,263, L. Brink, 20th July, Mito 14th July, General—Melchers & Co.  
**PANAMA**, German str., 1,415, H. Jones, 20th July, Bangkok 14th July, Rice—Butterfield & Swire.  
**PROGRESS**, German str., 657, H. Pabst, 20th July, Tientsin via Swatow 17th July, General—Chitose.  
**TAMISA**, British str., 1,450, A. W. Osterlind, 20th July, Manila 17th July, General—Butterfield & Swire.

## CLEARANCES.

At the Harbour Master's Office, July 20th.  
**Andal**, Dupere, French str., for Shanghai.  
**Chongking**, British str., for Shanghai.  
**Corre**, German str., for Y. Amoy.  
**Eden**, Norwegian str., for Canton.  
**Shanghai**, British str., for Singapore.  
**Shanghai**, British str., for Kobe.

## DEPARTURES.

July 20th.  
**CARL DIERCKHOF**, German str., for Hongkong.  
**EDEN**, Norwegian str., for Calcutta.  
**GLENALGLOCH**, British str., for Amoy.  
**KORUM**, German str., for Yokohama.  
**MASAN MARU**, Japanese str., for Swatow.  
**SAKURA**, Japanese str., for Nanchang.  
**SHANGHAI**, British str., for Shanghai.  
**SUNDA**, British str., for Shanghai.  
**YENNES**, British str., for Manila.

## SIPPING REPORTS.

The British str. **Andal** reports: Moderate weather throughout.  
 The German str. **Andal** reports: From Cape Padaran moderate N.E. winds.  
 The British str. **Chongking** reports: Moderate to fresh W.S.W. wind and squally weather.  
 The Japanese str. **Eden** reports: Fine weather, gentle to light breeze with slight sea.

## VESSELS IN DOCK.

July 20th.  
**ANDAL**, Norwegian str., from Amoy.  
**KORUM**, German str., from Yokohama.  
**MASAN MARU**, Japanese str., from Swatow.  
**SAKURA**, Japanese str., from Nanchang.  
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DESTINATION	VESSEL'S NAME	FLAG & RIG	BERTH	CAPTAIN	FOR FREIGHT APPLY TO	TO BE DESPATCHED
1. From Green Island to the Harbour Master's	DEVANHA	Brit. str.	—	T. H. Hild, R.N.R.	P. & O. S. N. Co.	On 28th inst. at Noon.
2. From Harbour Master's to Blake Pier.	SARDINIA	Brit. str.	1 m.	C. C. Talbot, R.N.R.	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	About 1st Aug.
3. From Blake Pier to Naval Yard.	PINOSURY	Brit. str.	1 m.	—	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 31st inst.
4. From Naval Yard to East Point.	OROSTES	Brit. str.	1 m.	—	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 14th Aug.
	ACHILLES	Brit. str.	1 m.	—	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 25th Aug.
	TOKIN	Freem. str.	—	Charbonnel	MESSAGERIES MARITIMES	On 24th inst. at 1 p.m.
	BAYERN	Ger. str.	—	H. Formes	MELCHERS & CO.	On 1st Aug. at Noon.
	SCHWABZBURG	Ger. str.	k.w.	Leckner	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	On 24th inst.
	ALESIA	Ger. str.	k.w.	Miller	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	On 7th Aug.
	SPEZIA	Ger. str.	k.w.	Peter	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	On 21st Aug.
	SENEGAMBIA	Brit. str.	4 m.	Brinck	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 23rd Sept.
	ALCINOUS	Dan. str.	—	Damianovich	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 30th Aug.
	NORDKAP	Aus. str.	—	Behle	MELCHERS & CO.	On 2nd inst. at Noon.
	CHINA	Ger. str.	k.w.	v. Dohren	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	On 4th Sept.
	SRESIA	Ger. str.	k.w.	—	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	On 18th Sept.
	SCANDIA	Brit. str.	1 m.	—	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 20th Aug.
	TYDEUS	Brit. str.	—	—	ARNHOLD, KARBURG & CO.	About 28th inst.
	JESERIC	Brit. str.	—	Featon	STANDARD OIL CO.	About 12th Aug.
	HUDSON	Brit. str.	—	—	DODWELL & CO. LTD.	About 25th inst.
	LOWTHER CASTLE	Am. str.	—	—	SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.	About 25th Aug.
	JOHN HARDIE	Ger. str.	—	Peterson	CANADIAN PACIFIC R. CO.	On 1st Aug.
	ALDENIA	Brit. str.	2 m.	E. V. Roberts	CANADIAN PACIFIC R. CO.	On 8th Aug.
	EMPEROR OF CHINA	Brit. str.	1 m.	—	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 27th inst.
	STARHUT	Am. str.	—	—	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 4th Aug.
	TELMACHUS	Brit. str.	1 m.	—	PORTLAND & ASIATIC S.S. CO.	On 14th Aug. at Noon.
	ARABIA	Ger. str.	—	—	TOYO KISEN KAISHA	About 25th inst.
	KASADO MARU	Jap. str.	—	—	MELCHERS & CO.	On 24th inst. at Noon.
	PRINZ SIGISMUND	Brit. str.	—	St. John George	GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO.	On 25th inst. at Noon.
	EMPIRE	Brit. str.	1 m.	—	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 11th Aug.
	TAIYUAN	Ger. str.	k.w.	—	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	End of July.
	DAIKU	Dan. str.	—	—	MELCHERS & CO.	About 27th inst.
	SHIRAKI	Ger. str.	—	—	MELCHERS & CO.	On 1st Aug.
	WILLIAM	Ger. str.	—	—	SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.	On 4th Aug.
	DAKOTAH	Brit. str.	—	—	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About 5th Aug.
	JAVA	Brit. str.	1 m.	S. Barcham	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	Today.
	SHANGHAI	Brit. str.	—	K. Ohta	OSAKA SHOSHEN KAISHA	On 24th inst. at Noon.
	MAIDURU MARU	Jap. str.	—	—	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 24th inst.
	TAIYUAN	Brit. str.	1 m.	—	JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.	To-morrow, at Daylight.
	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.	Quick despatch.
	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	SIEMSEN & CO.	On 23rd inst.
	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	MESSAGERIES MARITIMES	About 23rd inst.
	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	OSAKA SHOSHEN KAISHA	On 24th inst. at Noon.
	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 25th inst.
	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About 25th inst.
	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	On 25th inst.
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	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.	To-morrow, at Noon.
	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.	To-morrow, at Noon.
	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	DODWELL & CO. LTD.	To-morrow, at Noon.
	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 27th inst.
	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.	To-day, at Noon.
	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 24th inst.
	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.	On 24th inst. at 4 p.m.
	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.	On 25th inst. at Noon.
	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 25th inst.
	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	NIPPON Yusen Kaisha	On 24th inst. at Noon.
	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.	On 24th inst. at 3 p.m.
	CHONGKING	Brit. str.	—	—	JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LINE	About 28th inst.

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ZAFIRO	2540	R. Rodger	Manila	On 28th July, Noon.

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SHIP	STEAMERS	TO SAIL	REMARKS
SHANGHAI	(MOLDAVIA) ... (E. H. Gordon)	About 24th July	Freight and Passage.
LONDON & C. VIA USUAL PORTS	DEFANHA ... (T. H. Hild, R.N.R.)	Noon, 24th July	No Special of Call.

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LONDON & ANTWERP	OROSTES	Brit. str.	—	—	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	About 1st August
LONDON & ANTWERP	ACHILLES	Brit. str.	—	—	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	About 1st August
LONDON & ANTWERP	TOKIN	Freem. str.	—	Charbonnel	MESSAGERIES MARITIMES	About 1st August

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BY LIEUTENANT-COLONEL F. A. DAVEY.

Regarding the direct waste of the Army have to face the terrible fact that out of 28 men, in 1904, 2,000, all but sixteen, had perished in twelve months. Surely it is while to inquire into all possible causes of waste by invaliding and desertion. The *United Service Gazette* points to the fact that desertions are most frequent among recruits than three months' service. Discouragements and diseases lead, respectively, to desertion and invaliding. Men whose inclination would stick to their new calling, if they were physically comfortable in it, desert. They are not to estimate cases out of a hundred, better the Army in many respects than they before joining it. But they simply cannot do the drill. Few are aware that what a man when he says he could not stand the discipline that he could not stand the distress, the helplessness, the great physical strain of retraining.

Already," says the *New York Press*, "impendent disclosure that the Government guaranteed the quality of the Trust's diet. Devoted carnion has been exploded." Roosevelt can go further by altogether withholding the Government label, and be threatened to do so unless the packers and Congress consent to genuine inspection from hoof to marrowbone.

Eight meat-packing establishments in Chicago here have issued a joint statement declaring their plans to be clean and sanitary, in methods of manufacture sanitary, but add that they stand ready to adopt any suggestion in the line of improvement.

With a view to protecting the Service, it is stated that the Admiralty and War Office stipulated, in contracts placed since 1904, for a disclosure, that tinned meats for the Army and Navy shall come from the British Colonies.

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